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Subject:	PER – Fiscal Year 2008 National Earth Team Award Winners		

Purpose.

To announce the fiscal year (FY) 2008 National Earth Team Award Winners.

Expiration Date.

September 30, 2008

Background.

During FY 2008, over 60 percent of Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) offices utilized the assistance of over 31,000 Earth Team Volunteers who donated over 812,000 hours of service. Employees, partners and volunteers all deserve recognition for these valuable Earth Team contributions. Their efforts are recognized annually.

Congratulations to the FY 2008 National Earth Team Award winners:

Individual Volunteer Award:	April Weitlauf, Silver City, NM
Group Volunteer Award:	Deer Creek Watershed Association, Greenwood, MS
Volunteer Service Award – Chief's Cup:	Nebraska
Chief's Field Award:	Holdrege NRCS Field Office, Holdrege, NE
NACD/NRCS Earth Team Award:	Fulton County Conservation District, Salem, AR
RC&D/NRCS Earth Team Award:	Acadiana RC&D, Carencro, LA
NRCS Employee Award:	Patty Rogers, Wiggins, MS

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Volunteer Coordinator Award: June Hogg, Richmond, VA

NRCS appreciates the outstanding contributions, dedication, and creativity of all Earth Team volunteers, employees and partners.

Contact. If you have questions regarding the awards, please contact Michele Eginoire, National Volunteer Coordinator, at (515) 289-0325, extension 102. /s/ARLEN L. LANCASTERChief